

Art in the City / Week 8

Big Red



Big Red, Tom Lear

In the spirit of March Madness, this week's Friday Feature is *Big Red* by Tom Lear (1947-2000). Standing 24 feet tall, *Big Red* is made of welded alloy metal and located on the University of Louisville campus in the Jane Goldstein Plaza near the College of Business and Rauch Planetarium. The abstract sculpture was installed in December 1989 and dedicated in June 1990, and more recently refinished in 2012. Lear graduated from the Louisville School of Art and his works are in many public and private collections.

GO BIG RED! SWEET SIXTEEN!

You can see more art on University of Louisville's campus on their interactive map:<http://webservices.library.louisville.edu/art/index.php>.